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Monitoring for dynamic biological processing by intramolecular bioluminescence resonance energy transfer system using secreted luciferase.

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Proteolytic processing plays crucial roles in physiological and pathophysiological cellular functions such as peptide generation, cell cycle, and apoptosis. We developed a novel biophysical bioluminescence resonance energy transfer (BRET) system between a secreted Vargula luciferase (Vluc) and an enhanced yellow fluorescent protein (EYFP) for visualization of cell biological processes. The bioluminescence spectrum of the fusion protein (Vluc-EYFP) is bimodal (lambdamax = 460 nm (Vluc) and 525nm (EYFP)), indicating that the excited-state energy of Vluc transfers to EYFP (in short, BRET). The BRET signal can be measured in the culture medium and pursue quantitative production of two neuropeptides, nocistatin (NST) and nociceptin/orphanin FQ (N/OFQ) in living cells. NST and N/OFQ are located in tandem on the same precursor, but NST exhibits antagonistic action against N/OFQ-induced central functions. Insertion of a portion of the NST-N/OFQ precursor (Glu-Gln-Lys-Gln-Leu-Gln-Lys-Arg-Phe-Gly-Gly-Phe-Tyr-Gly) in Vluc-EYFP makes the fusion protein cleavable at Lys-Arg in NG108-15 cells, and proprotein convertase 1 enhances this digestion. The change in BRET signals quantifies the processing of the fusion protein.

Our novel intramolecular BRET system using a secreted **luciferase** is useful for investigating peptide processing in living cells.

**Descriptors:** \*Luciferases; \*Peptide Biosynthesis--physiology--PH; \*Staining and Labeling --methods--MT;

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Abstract: V. Viviani et al. [Biochemistry 38 (1999) 8271] were the first to succeed in cloning the red-emitting enzyme from the South American railroad worm, which is the only bioluminescent organism known to emit a red-colored light. The application of red bioluminescence has been our goal because the transmittance of longer-wavelength light is superior to that of the other colors for visualization of biological functions in living cells. Now, different color luciferases, which emit with wavelength maxima ranging from 400 to 630 nm, are available and are being used. For example, based on different color luciferases, Nakajima et al. developed a tricolor reporter in vitro assay system based on these different color luciferases in which the expression of three genes can be monitored simultaneously. On the other hand, bioluminescence resonance energy transfer (BRET) is a natural phenomenon caused by the intermolecular interaction between a bioluminescent protein and a fluorophore on a second protein, resulting in the light from the bioluminescence reaction having the spectrum of the fluorophore. Otsuji et al. [Anal. Biochem. 329 (2004) 230] showed that the change in the efficiency of energy transfer in intramolecular BRET can quantify cellular functions in living cells. In this review, I introduce the basic mechanisms of color tuning in bioluminescent systems and new applications based on color tuning in the life sciences.

**Descriptors--**Author Keywords: bioluminescence; BRET; cell; color tuning; energy transfer; firefly; **luciferase**; luciferin; photoprotein; reporter assay

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DIRECTED MUTAGENESIS; HAMSTER OVARY CELLS; FIREFLY **LUCIFERASE**; ENERGY-TRANSFER; DINOFLAGELLATE LUCIFERIN; LATIA-NERITOIDES

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Chimeric secretory or membrane-bound protein containing an energy generating protein and an energy accepting protein for use as a reporter of gene expression vector-mediated chimeric gene transfer and expression in host cell for recombinant protein production and drug screening

Author: OHMIYA Y; ASHITAKA E; ITO S

Patent Assignee: NAT INST ADVANCED IND SCI and TECHNOLOGY 2004

**Patent Number:** WO 200422600 **Patent Date:** 20040318

**WPI Accession No.:** 2004-248450 ( 200423 )

Priority Application Number: JP 2002357407 Application Date: 20021210 National Application Number: WO 2003JP11285 Application Date: 20030904

Language: Japanese

Abstract: DERWENT ABSTRACT: NOVELTY - Secretory or membrane-bound chimeric proteins are new, containing an energy generating protein bound to an energy accepting protein, in which energy transfer between the generating and accepting proteins can take place. DETAILED DESCRIPTION - INDEPENDENT CLAIMS are also included for (1) polynucleotides encoding the chimeric proteins, and their complementary strands; (2) expression vectors containing the polynucleotides; (3) hosts transformed by the vectors; (4) method for preparation of the chimeric proteins, by culture of the transformed hosts; (5) method for assay of energy transfer within the chimeric proteins (either dissolved in medium or bound to cell membrane), using the transformed hosts; and (6) method for screening compounds regulating the gene expression of the chimeric protein within the cell. BIOTECHNOLOGY -Preferred proteins: The chimeric protein has the form (secretory generating protein)-(accepting protein), (secretory accepting protein)-(generating protein), (membrane bound generating protein)-(accepting protein), (membrane bound accepting protein)-(generating protein), (signal peptide)-(generating protein)-(accepting protein), or (signal peptide)-(accepting protein)-(generating protein), and a monitoring peptide (which interacts with a specific substance such as a protease or sugar to modify the energy transfer) may be interpolated between the generating and accepting proteins. The energy-generating protein may be a light-emitting protein such as luciferase, and the energy-accepting protein may be a chromoprotein or fluorescent protein such as GFP, YFP, BFP, CFP, DsRED or RFP. USE - As a reporter for gene expression within the cell, for example to monitor the effect within the cell of antidiabetic or antiinflammatory drugs. EXAMPLE - A vector (pEF-BOS-Vluc-EYFP) is constructed based on pEF-BOS (Mizushima, Nucleic Acids Res. (18) 5322) and containing genes encoding Vargula hilgendorfii luciferase (Vluc) (as energy generating protein) and enhanced yellow **fluorescent** protein (EYFP) (as energy accepting protein), joined via a BamHI-cleavable linker. This is used to transform COS7 cells. The transformant is cultured and the chimeric protein isolated from the medium (see drawing for its spectrum). The vector is BamHI cleaved and a sequence inserted encoding a monitoring peptide (sequence given), then religated. Chimeric peptide obtained from culture of COS7 cells transformed with this modified vector has a second peak in the emission spectrum (at about 530nm) which is removed by modification of the three-dimensional structure of the monitoring peptide (e.g. by binding to a sugar molecule). (57 pages)

**Descriptors:** recombinant chimeric secretory protein, membrane-bound protein prep., plasmid-mediated green **fluorescent** protein, yellow **fluorescent** protein, BFP, CFP, DsRED, red **fluorescent** protein, **Vargula** hilgendorfii **luciferase** reporter gene transfer, expression in COS-7 cell, appl. antidiabetic, antiinflammatory drug screening fluorescence enzyme cell culture kidney animal monkey mammal (23, 21)

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Application of luminescence imaging in real-time analysis of gene expression

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Imaging ...

fluorescent; application of luminescence imaging in real-time anal. of gene expression

Secretion(process) ...

transcription assocd. with; application of luminescence imaging in real-time anal. of gene expression

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Energy transfer donor-acceptor pair fusion protein as in vivo gene expression monitoring tool

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**Abstract:** Understanding biological processes in the context of intact organ systems with fine temporal resolution has required the development of imaging strategies that reveal cellular and molecular changes in the living body. Reporter genes that confer optical signatures on a given biological process have been used widely in cell biology and have been used more recently to interrogate biological processes in living animal models of human biology and disease. The use of internal biological sources of light, luciferases, to tag cells, pathogens, and genes has proved to be a versatile tool to provide in vivo indicators that can be detected externally. The application of this technology to the study of animal models of infectious disease has not only provided insights into disease processes, but has also revealed new mechanisms by which pathogens may avoid host defences during infection.

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Abstract: Metridia longa is a marine copepod from which a blue bioluminescence originates as a secretion from epidermal glands in response to various stimuli. We demonstrate that Metridia luciferase is specific for coelenterazine to produce blue light (lambda(max)=480 nm). Using an expression cDNA library and functional screening, we cloned and sequenced the cDNA encoding the Metridia luciferase. The cDNA is an 897-bp fragment with a 656-bp open reading frame, which encodes a 219-amino acid polypeptide with a molecular weight of 23,885. The polypeptide contains an N-terminal signal peptide of 17 amino acid residues for secretion. On expression of the Metridia luciferase gene in mammalian Chinese hamster ovary cells the luciferase is detected in the culture medium confirming the existence of a naturally occurring signal peptide for secretion in the cloned luciferase. The novel secreted luciferase was tested in a practical assay application in which the activity of A2a and NPY2 G-protein-coupled receptors was detected. These results clearly suggest that the secreted Metridia luciferase is well suited as a reporter for monitoring gene expression and, in particular, for the development of novel ultra-high throughput screening technologies.

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**Abstract:** Seven-transmembrane G-protein-coupled receptors play a central role in physiology by facilitating cell communication through recognition of a wide range of ligands. Even more important, they represent important drug targets. Unfortunately, for many of these receptors the endogenous ligands, and hence their functions, remain to be identified. These receptors are referred to as "orphan" receptors. A pre-requisite for the identification of ligands activating orphan receptors is powerful assay systems. Until now, reporter gene assays have not been in common use in this process. Here, we summarize our development of improved reporter gene assays. We optimized reporter gene assays in respect of (i) the promoter region of the construct, (ii) the reporter enzyme used, (iii) and the assay procedure. Furthermore, an unique fluorescence-based clone selection step was introduced, allowing rapid selection of the most sensitive reporter cell clones when establishing stable reporter cell lines. Mathematical formulae are provided to enable a simple and reliable comparison between different cell lines, when tested with a compound of interest. The resulting reporter cell lines responded in a very sensitive way to the stimulation of various test receptors. The reporter system was termed HighTRACE(R) (high-throughput reporter assay with clone election). Its high assay quality makes it suitable as a primary screening tool. Ligands for two recently unknown 7TM receptors were identified using the HighTRACE(R) system i.e., two cell surface free fatty acid receptors, GPR40 (FFA(1)R) and GPR43 (FFA(2)R). The identification was accomplished using a reverse pharmacology approach.

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Use of bioluminescence generating systems

- transgenic fish construction by luciferase gene expression

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**Abstract:** New uses for bioluminescence generating systems are claimed. The uses include novelty items such as toys, paints, textiles, dentifrices, soaps, foods, ice, fountains and transgenic fish. Also new are: a method for

producing an isolated vacuole containing a luciferase from Aequorea, **Vargula**, Renilla, Obelin, Porichthys, Aristostomias, Odontosyllis, Oplophorus, firefly (EC-1.13.12.7, Photinus pyralis) or bacterium (EC-1.14.14.3, Vibrio harveyi) or, which involves expressing DNA encoding **luciferase** in a host cell and isolating the intact vacuoles from the host cell; and a transgenic fish containing DNA encoding

**luciferase**. Green **fluorescent** protein, blue **fluorescent** protein, luciferin or phycobiliprotein may be used in fluorescence. (214pp)

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Cloning and sequencing of Renilla green fluorescent protein and luciferase and their use in diagnostics, high throughput screening and bioluminescence generating systems

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Cnidarian(Cnidaria)... Ctenophora(phylum)... Mollusk(Mollusca)... Crustacean(Crustacea)... Fish...

Annelid(Annelida)... Earthworm... Firefly ... Mnemiopsis... Beroe ovata... Aequorea... Obelia... Vargula... Pelagia ...

Pholas... Pachystomias... Porichthys... Cypridina... Aristostomias... Malacosteus... Gonadostomias... Watasenia...

Halistaura... Vampyroteuthis infernalis... Glyphus... Mycotophidae... Vinciguerria... Howella... Florenciella... Chauliodus... Melanocetus... Sea pen... Chiroteuthis... Eucleoteuthis... Onychoteuthis... Watasenia... Sepiidae ...

bioluminescence generating systems from; cloning and sequencing of Renilla green fluorescent protein and luciferase and their use in diagnostics, high throughput screening and bioluminescence generati Resonant energy transfer ...

BRET system; cloning and sequencing of Renilla green fluorescent protein and luciferase and their use in diagnostics, high throughput screening and bioluminescence generating systems
Wine ...

champagne; cloning and sequencing of Renilla green fluorescent protein and luciferase and their use in diagnostics, high throughput screening and bioluminescence generating systems

Protein sequences... Molecular cloning... cDNA sequences... Renilla... Renilla mulleri... Gaussia... Pleuromamma... Renilla reniformis... Probes(nucleic acid)... Primers(nucleic acid)... Plasmid vectors...

Luminescence, bioluminescence... Sepiolina... Oplophorus... Acanthophyra... Sergestes... Gnathophausia...

Argyropelecus... Yarrella... Diaphus... Neoscopelus... Reporter gene... Toys... Food additives... Textiles... Paper ...

Clothing... Bubbles... Balloons... Cosmetics... Bath preparations... Dentifrices... Mouthwashes... Soaps...

Gelatins, properties... Beer... Wine ... Milk... Beverages... Antibodies... Biosensors... Microelectronic devices... Transgene ...

cloning and sequencing of Renilla green fluorescent protein and luciferase and their use in diagnostics, high throughput screening and bioluminescence generating systems

Bacteria(Eubacteria)... Yeast... Fungi... Plant cell... Insect(Insecta)... Animal cell ...

cloning host; cloning and sequencing of Renilla green fluorescent protein and luciferase and their use in diagnostics, high throughput screening and bioluminescence generating systems Fusion proteins(chimeric proteins) ...

contg. luciferase and GFP; cloning and sequencing of Renilla green fluorescent protein and luciferase and their use in diagnostics, high throughput screening and bioluminescence generating systems Confectionery ...

frosting; cloning and sequencing of Renilla green fluorescent protein and luciferase and their use in diagnostics, high throughput screening and bioluminescence generating systems

Bakery products ...

frostings; cloning and sequencing of Renilla green fluorescent protein and luciferase and their use in diagnostics, high throughput screening and bioluminescence generating systems

Cosmetics ...

gels; cloning and sequencing of Renilla green fluorescent protein and luciferase and their use in diagnostics, high throughput screening and bioluminescence generating systems
Self-association ...

GFP mutein with reduced multimerization; cloning and sequencing of Renilla green fluorescent protein and luciferase and their use in diagnostics, high throughput screening and bioluminescence generati Proteins, specific or class ...

green fluorescent; cloning and sequencing of Renilla green fluorescent protein and luciferase and their use in diagnostics, high throughput screening and bioluminescence generating systems Medical goods ...

hygienic materials; cloning and sequencing of Renilla green fluorescent protein and luciferase and their use in diagnostics, high throughput screening and bioluminescence generating systems

Conformational transition ...

in BRET system; cloning and sequencing of Renilla green fluorescent protein and luciferase and their use in diagnostics, high throughput screening and bioluminescence generating systems

Optical detectors... Electric circuits ...

in microelectronic device; cloning and sequencing of Renilla green fluorescent protein and luciferase and their use in diagnostics, high throughput screening and bioluminescence generating systems Pigments, biological ...

luciferins; cloning and sequencing of Renilla green fluorescent protein and luciferase and their use in diagnostics, high throughput screening and bioluminescence generating systems

Microanalysis... Analytical apparatus ...

microarray, in microelectronic device; cloning and sequencing of Renilla green fluorescent protein and luciferase and their use in diagnostics, high throughput screening and bioluminescence generating Antibodies ...

monoclonal; cloning and sequencing of Renilla green fluorescent protein and luciferase and their use in diagnostics, high throughput screening and bioluminescence generating systems Plant(Embryophyta) ...

ornamental, transgenic; cloning and sequencing of Renilla green fluorescent protein and luciferase and their use in diagnostics, high throughput screening and bioluminescence generating systems Quaternary structure ...

protein, GFP mutein with reduced multimerization; cloning and sequencing of Renilla green fluorescent protein and luciferase and their use in diagnostics, high throughput screening and bioluminescence Animal... Plant(Embryophyta)... Monkey... Worm... Rodent... Goat... Swine ... Cattle... Sheep... Horse(Equus caballus)... Angiosperm(Magnoliophyta) ... Orchid(Orchidaceae) ...

transgenic; cloning and sequencing of Renilla green fluorescent protein and luciferase and their use in diagnostics, high throughput screening and bioluminescence generating systems

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